TOWN OF LEE, NEW HAMPSHIRE

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June 17, 2016



HAYING IN LEE IS A SURE SIGN OF SUMMER !!! FIRST DAY OFFICIALLY BEGINS JUNE 20TH !



JUNE SELECT BOARD MEETINGS and PUBLIC HEARING Monday, June 20th at 6:00 pm Go to <u>www.leenh.org</u> for more Town meeting dates Go to <u>http://leenh.org/pages/LeeNH_LibraryCal/?formid=158</u> for the Library Calendar

TOWN OF LEE SEEKING PART-TIME BUILDING INSPECTOR <u>CLICK HERE</u> for details

LEE FARMERS MARKET

Every Thursday at the Corner of 155 & Recycling Road 3-6 pm <u>CLICK HERE</u> for flyer



To learn more or donate: www.forestsociety.org/powder_major

LEE 250TH FAMILY PADDLE





Sunday, June 26th 1:00 – 3:00 pm Lee Public Canoe Access Route 152

Enjoy a leisurely paddle upstream and back while taking in the view. Please contact <u>dawn.genes@lrwa-nh.org</u> for details and to register. Co- sponsored by the Lamprey River Advisory Committee, the Lamprey River Watershed Association and the Town of Lee. <u>CLICK HERE</u> for more information.



3rd Annual Model Rocket Day at Little River Park

The Lee Recreation Commission along with Cub Scout Pack 459 will host our 3rd annual Model Rocket Day at Little River Park on Saturday, July 9th (rain date July 23rd) from 9am - 12 noon. This event is open to children of all ages. Bring your favorite model rocket and join the fun. If you do not have a rocket and would like to participate, a limited amount of free rocket kits will be available at the park. Come early and build your rocket with help from the experts, then have fun flying to new heights. Please contact Larry Kindberg at 292-5790 or <u>larrykindberg@comcast.net</u> to register or for more information. We need to know in advance how many rockets and engines will be needed.

LOST AND FOUND

Located at the Lee Police Department - 20 George Bennett Road

With the increased use of Little River Park and the Pavilion, numerous articles are being left behind, including clothing, sports equipment, sunglasses, etc. Items will be held at the Police Department for one week, after which they will be delivered to the Swap Shop at the Lee Transfer Station.

ATTENTION!

ANYONE WHO IS INTERESTED IN VOLUNTEERING TO HELP PUT TOGETHER A COMMUNITY-BASED NEWSLETTER PLEASE EMAIL WENDY FOGG AT wendysnowfogg@gmail.com.



Dog Waste is a Problem for Everyone!

At recent public meetings, the Lee Conservation Commission and Select Board have discussed the increasing problem of dog waste being left in Little River Park, the Town Forest, other conservation areas, and even Town streets. Dog waste is more than just an unpleasant problem if you step in it. Pet waste left anywhere is a potential public health risk. Rain washes dog waste and the associated disease-causing organisms, such as giardia and salmonella, E. coli, and parvovirus, as well as types of worms like hookworms, tapeworms, and even heart worms into rivers, lakes, and bays. New Hampshire scientists have found that dogs are a significant contributor of bacteria in several New Hampshire surface waters.

As the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) Clean Water Campaign puts it, "If you think picking up dog poop is unpleasant, try swimming in it."

Most dog owners pick up after their dogs, but not everyone does. The first step is to always carry a plastic bag with you when you walk your dog. Unfortunately though, the Conservation Commission reports that bagged waste is being left on trails and in vernal pools. Please, please, always dispose of bagged waste in a trash can. Composting is not effective at killing the fecal coliform bacteria in pet waste, so you shouldn't leave pet waste in your yard at home, either.

With the help of the Conservation Commission, signs will be placed at trail heads and Little River Park to remind everyone to clean up after their dogs. In addition, a Pet Waste Station will soon be installed at Little River Park to make it even easier for dog owners to keep the Park free from poop.

Tell friends and neighbors about the effect of animal waste on the environment and our health. Encourage them to clean up after their pets and to dispose of the pet waste properly.

For more information: <u>CLICK HERE</u> for the US EPA's "Managing Pet and Wildlife Waste to Prevent Contamination of Drinking Water" bulletin.

Town Secretary Denise Duval and Bodie



THE LIBRARY TRUSTEES' CORNER

Thank You Friends of the Lee Public Library for your ongoing support of the library! The Friends make it possible for Lee residents to visit area museums at a reduced charge. Passes are available for:

- Strawbery Banke: FREE ADMISSION
- Seacoast Science Center: 50% admission
- Museum of Fine Arts, Boston: 50% admission
- Boston Museum of Science: 50% admission
- Currier Gallery of Art: FREE ADMISSION
- Peabody Essex Museum: 50% admission, weekdays. Discount weekend and holidays
- Children's Museum of New Hampshire: 50% admission
- Boston Children's Museum (pass available at Durham library): 50% admission
- Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum (pass available at Durham library): Discount admission

Stop by or call the library at 659-2626 to reserve your pass.

OPENINGS ARE STILL AVAILABLE ON THE FOLLOWING TOWN BOARDS, COMMITTEES AND COMMISSIONS:

ADVISORY BUDGET, AGRICULTURAL, CONSERVATION COMMISSIONS, ENERGY, RECREATION, LAMPREY RIVER ADVISORY and SUSTAINABILITY COMMITTEES

Hand deliver to Town Hall or email application to the Town Secretary at <u>dduval@leenh.org.</u> <u>CLICK HERE</u> for Application



LEE HISTORICAL SOCIETY MUSEUM OPEN EVERY 3RD SATURDAY 10 AM – 2 PM NOW THRU NOVEMBER



PURCHASE YOUR LICENSE AT THE PD IN SUPPORT OF THE 250TH CELEBRATION!



250TH PROGRAMS & EVENTS

"The King's Mast Tree Revolution" Video is now streaming! <u>http://media.leenh.org/?page_id=23</u>

or watch it on Ch. 13 at 12:11 p.m. and 6:27 p.m. Produced by Breakaway Media and starring Don Quigley, Pat Jenkins, the Mast Way School, Dearborn Company and many others! Don't miss it!

CHECK OUT THE PASSPORT TO LEE PROGRAM CLICK HERE

Passports are available at the Library and Town Hall. There is still plenty of time to start collecting stamps and stickers. Stamp boxes are available at the 8 Lee Heritage sites and Town Trail. Look for a plastic box containing information and a number stamp, with ink pad. Stamp your Passport, but please leave the box in place. Each box has an introduction to the Site. You can find a complete history at the Town of Lee website, Heritage Commission section. Our Town farms are starting their new season. Visiting one will earn a Passport stamp. Please be sure to call before visiting or watch the E-Crier for announcements of their Public Events.



If your group is planning to participate in the big town parade on July 16th, here are some dates you need to know:

- \rightarrow June 22nd No applications will be accepted after this date.
- → July 16th 9:30 am Line up and judging at the Town Field between Mast Way School and the Transfer Station Road.
- \rightarrow July 16th 10 am Parade Steps Off.

Not Marching? Here's what you need to know about Sat, July 16th:

The Transfer Station will be open from 6:30 am - 9:30 am; closed until 1:30 pm and then open until 6 pm.

The parade route, which kicks off at 10 am, will go from Transfer Station Rd to Little River Park. Mast Way Road will be closed during the parade and for a time before and after.

Parking for spectators will be available at the Safety Complex, Grange, School, Church, and Town Center.

People watching the parade from anywhere on the route will be picked up after the parade and taken to Little River Park for the day's activities. Transportation will be available all day to get you back to your parking area.

Events at Little River Park

The Dearborn Company of the NH Regiment will be encamped at the park from Friday night through Sunday afternoon. They will demonstrate their Revolutionary War Period skills and lifestyle throughout the day.

When the parade arrives, awards will be given out for various float and parade entry categories.

Musical groups will perform all afternoon, from Period Music to Brass Bands, to popular vocals, and of course the talented ORHS Band will provide a variety of selections that everyone is sure to enjoy.

Kids will be entertained by a balloon artist, games, and various vendors.

And although food will be available all afternoon, we hope you save some room for the chicken dinner provided by the Lee Congregational Church. Tickets will be available in advance.

Did we mention the balloon? The REMAX Balloon will offer tethered hot air balloon rides in the late afternoon. It's your chance to see Lee from above.

As you can see, there is a lot happening in Town this year. We hope everyone gets involved. For more information on these and other programs, please go to our website: <u>www.lee250.com</u>



THE NEWMARKET ADVERTISER. F. FL. PINKILAM, Editor and Publisher.

SATURDAY, JUNE 18, 1892.

The LEE.

The pastures are looking finely, better than the fields, which give but small promise of a good harvest.

Mrs. Joseph Knight, who fell down cellar a couple of weeks ago and received serious bruises, is gaining slowly.

Quite a number of our young men have received invitations to the Agricultural barn celebration on the evening of the 17th.

Wm. Kirkwood has gone to Nashua, as foreman in Griggs' lumber yard, a position he is well qualified to fill. Our loss is Griggs' gain.

A strawberry festival was held in the town hall Wednesday evening, under the auspices of the Congregational church. It was a pleasant affair.

The small show artists are just finding our little town. Last Thursday week, a nice old gent, all by his lone scif, presented an entertainment at the So. Lee school house, and those who did not attend the circus found satisfaction in viewing the magic lantern pictures and other paintings in the aforesaid temple of learning. John Morrison, track foreman here for two years, has, with his wife (nee Katie Broderick), removed to Nashua, where he will occupy a lucrative position in the B. & M. Company's yard. His iaithful services here and his genial disposition have won for him many friends, who wish him good luck in his new position.

Last Tuesday evening a "polyrama" was exhibited in the Union meeting house. We judge from the circulars that it must have been instructive and pleasing. The school children were very helpful in distributing circulars and selling tickets, and only the heavy showers and threatening weather prevented a large attendance.

The Lyceum league club met last Saturday evening to elect officers for the ensuing six months and make arrangements for a celebration, arranged by the National League club, to be given by all the clubs of America the 17th of June. But owing to the Durham Agricultural

celebration coming off the same day and evening, this one is postponed to July 9th, when a good time may be expected.

The terrific thunder shower Tuesday evening was short but effective, destroying or injuring trees and demolishing buildings. Jefferson Sawyer's old barn, which has stood in his meadow, has borne the buffets of many a storm, but this one laid it low. A part of a large tree on Creek bridge was shattered, and failing on the guard rail sent it into the water. At the depot in a few minutes after the hailstones began to fa l, one could shovel them up by the pailful. COM.

Please 'LIKE' us on FACEBOOK and 'SHARE' our FB page with your friends!!

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FIRE DEPARTMENT UPDATE



Sparky the Fire Dog[®] NFPA.org

SAFETY EDUCATOR NEWSLETTER CLICK HERE for the Summer 2016 Edition

BURN PERMIT

CLICK HERE for BURN PERMIT CHECKLIST CLICK HERE for ONLINE FIRE PERMIT PRESS RELEASE GO TO www.nhfirepermit.com to obtain a fire permit online. CLICK HERE for CodeRED Brochure

JOIN THE LEE FIRE RESCUE DEPARTMENT

Please stop by the Safety Complex Monday - Friday 8am- 4pm to find out more



EMERGENCY NOTIFICATION SYSTEM

The Town of Lee Police, Fire & Emergency Management utilizes the emergency notification system CODE RED. Visit <u>leenh.org</u> to sign up!



REGULAR HOURS Saturday: 10:00 am – 3:00 pm Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday: 12:00 – 8:00 pm Thursday, Friday: 10:00 am – 5:00 pm

Universal Class – Online Continuing Education Courses Continue your lifelong pursuit of knowledge with Universal Class. Cake Decorating 101

Do you have a special event coming up...a wedding, graduation, birthday? Perhaps there is a baker in the family that would like to make cakes for these occasions.

With practice and patience, cake decorating can be learned. This exclusive course starts you out with the basics from designing your work space, cake baking, decorating tools, prepping a cake for decorating and many tips of the trade to help you create delectable cakes, icings and fillings.



Cake decorating is one of over 500 courses available to Lee Library patrons. See your librarian for course listing and availability details.

Award Nominee Books

The 2016-2017 Great Stone Face (grades 4-6), Isinglass (grades 7 & 8) and Flume (grades 9-12) award nominees have all been ordered and will be ready for eager summer readers! Easy to find, they will be labeled and prominently displayed.

Summer Reading Program—On Your Mark, Get Set...Read

The theme for this summer's reading program is movement, fitness and wellness. Registration for this 5 week non-competitive program begins on **Monday, June 20th** and is for preschool-grade 6. Join us for a summer of great books and fun activities.



Don't miss the kickoff event on **Thursday**, **June 30**TH at **10:30 am** at the **Safety Complex** when we will be entertained by Lindsay and Her Puppet Pals.

Teen Summer Reading Program

Children entering grades 7-12 may sign up for our teen summer reading program. Fill out a simple form for each book read and be eligible to win Barnes and Noble gift cards in weekly raffles. And check out the fun programs for kids in grades 7-8.

ORION TELESCOPE

The night sky offers an endless variety of objects and events to observe, from stars and planets, to constellations and meteor showers. Some can be seen with the naked eye, others are dependent on the use of a telescope. In **June**, after sunset, you will be able to see **Mars, Jupiter and Saturn** in the southern part of the sky. The library's Orion telescope is available for checkout. Call us at 659-2626 to reserve Orion.

ON - GOING LIBRARY PROGRAMS



NO FOOLIN, JUST FUN ADULT GAME DAY Tuesdays at 9:30 am

Come join the fun, make new friends and learn some new games. All are welcome! Open to all adults 18 and older.



KNITTING FOR 50+ 1st & 3rd WEDNESDAYS July 20th 9:00 am The group will not meet on July 6th.

A drop-in group will meet at the library. Help is available from instructor, Donna Kay. All levels welcome. Offered by the Senior Advisory Committee and the Lee Library.



KNITTING GET TOGETHER Tuesdays, 6:30 – 8:00 pm

Come and join other knitters for an evening of knitting and socializing. Bring that project you've been meaning to finish and make some new friends. Sorry, no instructors.



250th COMMEMORATIVE MEMORABILIA ON SALE AT THE LIBRARY WOODEN NICKELS, LICENSE PLATES, COFFEE MUGS, TOTES, HATS, LONG & SHORT SLEEVED T-SHIRTS, ZIP-UP HOODED SWEATSHIRTS & WINE GLASSES



FRIENDS OF THE LEE LIBRARY

The Friends of Lee Library is a non-profit organization that supports Lee Library activities through memberships and fundraising. Activities include museum passes, children's vacation and summer programs and adult educational programs. Not a member yet? It's easy – <u>CLICK HERE</u>!

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MEETING CALENDAR

To view the meeting calendar on leenh.org CLICK HERE



DISPOSAL OF PRESCRIPTION DRUGS

A drop-off box is available at the Public Safety Complex for unused and unwanted prescriptions.



LAMPREY HEALTH CARE SENIOR TRANSPORTATION PROGRAM

Lamprey Health Care's Senior Transportation program provides rides to essential services for individuals over the age of 60 and/or with disabilities. Our handicap-accessible buses take seniors and adults with disabilities to the grocery store, pharmacy, doctor or bank! Call 1-800-582-7214 or 659-2424 Monday - Friday, 8am - 4pm or go to lampreyhealth.org/index.php/patient-services/transportation_program



READY RIDES offer free rides to medical appointments for residents 55+ and those who are disabled and unable to drive. They serve Lee, Barrington, Durham, Madbury, Newmarket, Northwood, Nottingham and Strafford. Please call Meri Schmalz at 224-8719 or email info@readyrides.org for more details about how to help your neighbor. **Volunteers from Lee are needed!**

Are you concerned about your child's use of alcohol or other drugs?

Parents' Support Group Thursdays 7 - 8:30pm Wentworth Douglass Hospital, Central Avenue, Dover Walk-ins welcome <u>CLICK HERE</u> for flyer Supported by a contract with N.H. Department of Health and Human Services



<u>CLICK HERE</u> for the 2015 Strafford County Annual Report



WILKINSON FOOD PANTRY Lee Church Congregational 17 Mast Rd

The food pantry is open to **any family** in the towns of Lee, Durham, Newmarket, and Nottingham. The pantry is open the first and third Monday of each month from 6 - 7:00 pm. If there is an emergency please call the Church office at 659-2861. All visits to the pantry are strictly confidential.

To receive the E-CRIER via email EVERY WEEK go to <u>www.leenh.org</u>, click on Subscribe to E-Alerts and follow the directions to subscribe. It's that easy!

ATTENTION!

If you know someone who wants to see the e-crier but does not have the internet please direct them to Town Hall for a printed copy or to the Library to view it there. If they cannot leave their home please call Denise Duval, Town Secretary, at 659-5414 to have it mailed!